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All Expectations Exceeded in Tennis Country Fair

Injury Prevents Tilden from Playing in Match

Along about three o'clock last Sunday morning, long after the tumult and the shouting had ceased, John Wine, looking as though he would give almost any sum for about eight hours of good old-fashioned sleep, looked at Bill Evans, who looked as though he would give equally as much as John offered, for even half that much rest, and said: "Well, Bill, what do you say?"

Whereupon Bill said to John: "John, this job of getting up and putting on a Country Fair has been some job, but the way you and Charley McKillips and Jim Darville and all the other members of this tennis association, and the people of Narberth and the folks from half a dozen other towns round about here, have responded, and the good time that everybody has had these last two days has more than repaid me for what little I did to help the affair along."

Which is only President W. D. R. Bill Evans' modest way of saying that the Country Fair given last Friday and Saturday by the Narberth Tennis Association under Mr. Evans' direction, was a great big, rip-roaring success and that he is grateful beyond words for every bit of work done by every single member and for the generous and hearty way in which the Narberth folks and others contributed to that success.

And all that stuff about Messrs. Evans and Wine being anxious to get some sleep is merely a pleasant way of saying that the Fair went bigger than anybody had expected, and that an extraordinary, big, and hilarious time was had by all.

In fact the Fair was so successful from every aspect that it was generally agreed by every one that the Tennis Association should make it an annual affair. And if this is done it will be held a little earlier in the season when the weather is milder.

The only unfortunate incident of the two days of fun was the inability of William T. Tilden, 2nd, national champion, to participate in the exhibition tennis matches. Mr. Tilden came to Narberth and appeared on the courts but he was suffering from a badly inflamed finger, and his physician positively forbade him to play. He assured President Evans, however, that inasmuch as this was the second time he had been prevented from playing on the local courts by circumstances over which he had no control, he would positively play here next season. The wisdom of Mr. Tilden's decision has since been demonstrated, as the condition of his finger has necessitated an operation which threatens to remove him from future championship competition.

However, while Tilden was missed, the large number of people who witnessed the exhibition match between Carl Fischer and Wallace Johnson saw one of the best tennis matches played in this part of the country in a long while. Fischer won, defeating Johnson in two out of three sets. The point score follows:

First Set	
Fischer	1 1 1 4 0 5 1-13
Johnson	0 0 0 0 4 4 7-29
Second Set	
Fischer	1 1 1 4 4 1 4 1 1 0 11-7
Johnson	2 4 4 6 2 2 0 7-37-5
Third Set	
Fischer	1 1 1 4 2 4 5 6 6 9-53-6
Johnson	0 0 0 0 4 4 4 7 8 4 7-41-3

Umpire—Paul W. Gibbons.

In the exhibition doubles match Wallace F. Johnson and P. W. Osborne defeated Carl Fischer and Harold Lane in straight sets, 7-5, 6-3. The umpire was W. J. Kirkpatrick.

The special prizes donated to the Fair by local and Philadelphia business concerns were awarded as follows: Pearl Necklace, J. F. Jackson, 3331 McKinley street, Tacony, Philadelphia; Applique bed room set, J. A. Britton, 203 Essex Avenue, Narberth; First ton of coal, M. McDonough, 336 Greenwich street, Philadelphia; Second ton of coal, N. C. Rowley, 120 Chestnut avenue, Narberth.

Many individuals and business concerns in Narberth and Philadelphia contributed generously to the Fair and the Tennis Association has asked "Our Town" to express its appreciation and gratitude to every person and every firm that aided the Fair in any way.

BRIDGE

Mrs. George Norman Gill, of 214 Dudley Ave., will give a bridge and five hundred on Friday, November 3rd. Proceeds will go to the Southern Home for Destitute Children, Phila. Those desiring to attend please call for reservations before Thursday evening.

Any donations such as canned goods children's clothing, shoes and foodstuffs which is not perishable will be thankfully received. Phone Narberth 1621-J.

SCOUT NEWS

On Sunday, Oct. 29th, 1922, the Narberth Boy Scouts will assemble at their shack at 2 o'clock P. M. and hike to Overbrook, where they will attend a Memorial Service for Sunday. The service will be for the entire Main Line Scouts, and the sermon will be delivered by Rev. R. W. Norwood, of Overbrook.

Vocal Instruction to Democrats Hold a Big Rally

Interesting Talk Delivered by Professor Nice

Prof. Nice gave another instructive talk on "How to Sing Properly" to the members of the Narberth Choral Society last Monday evening at the regular rehearsal held in the Y. M. C. A. Building. These talks are so beneficial to the Choral Members that the Publicity Committee has asked permission of the Musical Director to repeat a part of them in "Our Town" for the purpose of giving assistance to any one interested in singing, and who cannot, for one reason or another, study voice training, or join the organization. A few of the fundamental principles of singing as taught by Prof. Nice are:

Naturalness

While the cultured artist will find plenty of use for all his intelligence and his years of education, it is never theless true that his or her work is only "great" in proportion to the approach to NATURALNESS.

The most difficult part about singing is its dire simplicity. Tunes should be produced with no mechanicalization or artificiality, but by using the minimum tension of the vocal cords, and the minimum amount of breath needed for producing each tone of the range. This establishes a balanced mechanism of voice production.

Breath

Freedom is the fundamental pillar of voice production. Breath is an indispensable factor, but it is not the essential power which develops the voice, as is taught by many today. On the contrary, the function of singing develops the breathing apparatus and its power, just as any physiological function develops the organ from which it takes origin, therefore singing develops breathing, not breathing, singing.

Resonance

Resonance is a very important factor in voice production; it furnishes to the voice volume and quality. To rely on resonance, and not force, is essential for producing a big and pleasing voice.

The Singing Voice is the speaking voice amplified. Speaking and singing are similar functions, produced by the same mechanism. Singing, in its very essence, is merely speaking in musical rhythm, hence no correct singing can exist without a correctly produced speaking voice.

Register

There are no registers in the singing voice! According to natural laws, the voice is made up of only one register, its entire range.

Voice Culture is ear and mind training. The ear, when properly trained, will differentiate between the good and the bad, and discard the bad, making the good, better.

Prof. Nice has made the very helpful suggestion to the Choral members that if they will try to experience the sensation of yawning (just before vocalizing), they will produce a larger cavity in the throat which will result in a better quality and a rounder tone.

Prof. Nice is doing his utmost to produce maximum results with his Ensemble, with the least possible vocal effort, and after an endeavor on the part of the members to put his teachings into effect, the result is a most decided improvement. He is putting his ideas and system of voice culture into concrete form for publication, and it is hoped that excerpts from same will be available.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Drew, of 209 Chestnut Ave., have recently joined the Society. Mrs. Drew is a former graduate of Wellesley College. Also Mr. Samuel Morehouse, of 111 Iona Ave., is one of the new tenors in the Chorus.

Active Membership (singing members) will be held open for only a short time—until the date of the first concert is definitely announced—and application should be made to Mrs. James Foote, 1228 R., or to Prof. Nice 1608.

LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS.

The League of Women Voters held its monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Romaine Hoffman, on Monday, October 23rd.

The principal speaker of the afternoon was Mrs. H. L. Schwartz, County Chairman, and covered an interesting range of topics. A very excellent resume of the characteristics of the candidates in the coming elections and their records were included in this address.

The coming school loan was also under discussion, and every member is asked to attend the coming meeting which has been arranged by the School Board. Exact time and place will be found elsewhere in these columns.

The next meeting of the League will be held on its regular meeting day, November 13.

CHILDREN'S DANCING CLASS.

Plans are under way to reopen the children's dancing class, under the auspices of the Women's Community Club. The class will be under the direction of Miss Marjorie Carter, who so successfully conducted it last year. Miss Carter possesses the necessary qualities and grace for this work and her pleasing personality endeared her to her pupils.

Parents considering entering children will please phone Narberth 1638-M as soon as possible, and thus enable the committee to make definite plans. Terms are ten lessons for \$6.50.

Democrats Hold a Big Rally

Addresses by State Candidates Feature

The Mass Meeting held in Elmo Hall on Wednesday evening was the greatest political meeting ever held in the Borough. John A. McSparran, candidate for Governor, and "Bob" Patti, son, candidate for Lieutenant Governor, who told them in plain English how the taxpayers of Pennsylvania are compelled to pay from five to eight times as much taxes as our neighboring States of Ohio and New York. Ohio, a dollar may not be taxed more than 10 1/2 mills, while in our State there are communities where a dollar is taxed as much as 95 mills, for a decidedly less efficient Government.

There was every evidence that the speakers made a profound impression on the great audience, very many of whom were Republicans and Independent voters.

Other speakers who discussed live matters of vital importance both State and National were Henry C. Niles, prominent attorney of York, Pa., candidate for Judge of the Supreme Court, Dean of the Law Department of the University of Pittsburgh, candidate for Secretary of Internal Affairs, C. William Freed, of Quakertown, candidate for Congress in the Ninth District, A. E. Wohltet, of Narberth, candidate for the Assembly, Miss Gertrude Ely, of Bryn Mawr, and Charles D. McAvoy, of Norristown, former United States District Attorney for Eastern Pennsylvania.

Mr. John Gilroy, as temporary chairman, opened the meeting and introduced Mr. Arthur W. Burns, president of the Democratic Club of Narberth, who conducted the meeting. A reception was held for Mr. McSparran before the meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Patterson, Chestnut Avenue.

NARBERTH HIGH SCHOOL.

Narberth opened its football season with a green team, only five letters men remaining from last year's team. Sperry, Landert, Focht, Beckel and Cunningham. Landert was injured in an early practice game and has not been able to play regularly in the scheduled games, leaving but four men around whom to build a team.

Sperry was elected captain and has developed into a good half back. Beckel has shown good form in both passing and tackling. Osborne, playing for the first time this year, gives promise of becoming a full back who will compare favorably with his older brother, now at Haverford.

Shaw and Manning at tackle are light but active and will give a good account of themselves before the season is over, as they show improvement with each game.

Foote's work at center shows improvement over his play last year, especially on the defensive. Heard is a reliable substitute who can fill in at any time without serious loss to the team. Four men are trying for the quarter back position, Ardinger, Patten, Burrell and R. Gilliam, with honors about even at present. All lack experience, a much-needed requirement for a field general who is to call signals, but the experience this year ought to develop one of them into a valuable man for next year.

The ends are being cared for by E. Gilliam, Smith, Yocum, Knight and Cunningham. Of these Cunningham is first choice, both by experience and natural ability, although he is easily injured. Casey, Herron, Timm and Leitch are fighting it out for the guard positions, with Casey and Leitch showing the most promise. All are new to the position. Egnore and Vallette are pushing the regular tackles for their positions.

Coach Sangree has infused into the team a fighting, aggressive spirit as well as a spirit of good, clean sportsmanship. Whatever success the team may show is due to his earnest and efficient coaching.

McArter has proved to be the most efficient manager that the school has had for many a day, and in his efforts he is ably assisted by the assistant manager, Joseph D'Alonzo.

After two preliminary games, one with Episcopal and the other with Penn Charter Second, the team went up against Berwyn for its first scheduled game. Although defeated by a better team, the experience gained was valuable, as was shown in the Moorestown game, lost on a fluke, as in playing ability the teams were very evenly matched. In this game the team showed excellent defensive strength, but failed to show a consistently strong offense.

It is toward the development of an offensive that can score consistently that Coach Sangree is now directing his chief attention. Three more games will constitute the season—Friends Central at home and Haddon Heights and Haverford High away. In all three the team has a fighting chance to win.

NOTICE

Beginning Nov. 1st, 1922, the Narberth Post Office will close at 6:35 P. M. instead of 7 P. M.

On Sept. 24th the U. S. Government issued an order to change the last outgoing mail from Narberth from 6:47 P. M. to 6:15 P. M. Since that time a count has been made of the citizens of Narberth calling at the post office between 6:47 P. M. and 7 o'clock, and they have averaged two persons an evening, which does not warrant keeping the office open any later than 6:35 P. M.

The FIRESIDE Mass Meeting Called For Next Friday to Clean Up School Loan Problems

There has been a noticeable falling off in Fireside News during the past few weeks. This is partly due to the fact that folks are not moving about much, but partly also because fewer readers are sending in items.

The Fireside is, above all other departments of OUR TOWN, the property of our readers. All are interested in their friends' social doings. May we not have the co-operation of our readers in sending in items of interest?

The American Legion Special from the New Orleans Convention, stopped at Narberth on Monday noon to discharge two local Legionnaires, Messrs. John H. Nash and John W. Mower. Mr. William H. Cramer, Jr., another Narberth man at the Convention, continued to Philadelphia.

Miss Dorothy Speck held a delightful masquerade party at her home last evening. The guests were from the school set and included Mary Dold, Martha Metzger, Cynthia Metzger, Honora Snyder, Bert Taylor, Tom Taylor, Richard Gillis, Ben Latham and Lewis Radolph. Halloween games and dancing afforded fun for the evening.

Mrs. James B. Mackenzie, of Narbrook Park, with her daughter, Nancy Jane, is visiting her mother at Allen town, Pa.

Mrs. William G. Torchiana entertained on Monday evening at dinner and cards. She was assisted in receiving by Mrs. John Albert Borden, Mrs. William P. Kerigan, Mrs. Edward Vincent Wright, Mrs. John Kirk and Mrs. David Hogan. Guests were present from Philadelphia, Overbrook, Merion, Swarthmore, Rose Valley and Atlantic City.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry C. Landford, of Cleveland, Ohio, are spending two weeks at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward C. Smith, of S. Narberth Ave. Mrs. Landford will be remembered as Miss Nellie Smith.

The Freshman Class held a masquerade party at the school on Thursday evening, October 26th. The auditorium was attractively decorated in Halloween style, and a two piece orchestra supplied music for dancing. Everyone including a number of the teachers who were present, had a very enjoyable evening.

Weddings

ARMSTRONG-SMITH

Miss Emily Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward W. Smith, of South Narberth Ave., was married on Saturday, October 21st, at 4:30 o'clock, to Mr. Edward A. C. Armstrong, of Philadelphia, in St. James P. E. Church, 22nd and Walnut sts., Phila. Rev. Albert H. Lucas officiating.

The bride was given in marriage by her father, and was charming in a gown of brown tulle and lace, with a brown velvet hat, and carried a bouquet of white roses. She was attended by her sister, Mrs. Harry C. Landford, of Cleveland, as matron of honor, who wore a gown and hat of black, and carried red roses. The best man was Mr. Joseph Goodman, of Philadelphia.

After a two weeks' wedding trip to Miami, Florida, Mr. and Mrs. Armstrong will be at home at 1008 Stokes Ave., Collingswood, N. J.

WELLS-COHOIC

The marriage of Miss J. Estelle Cohic, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Cohic, of Essex Ave., to Mr. Ward Wells, of Athens, Pa., took place on Saturday, October 21st, at 7 o'clock in the Narberth Presbyterian Church. Rev. John Van Ness officiating.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a gown of white lace, and white lace veil, and carried a bouquet of orchids and roses. She was attended by Miss Berline Boughner, her cousin, as maid of honor, who wore a frock of turquoise blue tulle, and carried a colonial bouquet. The bridesmaids were Miss Jane Laird, and Miss Betty Forrester, who wore apricot frocks of tulle with black hats and mits and carried colonial bouquets. Mr. Ben Hammond, of Chester, acted as best man, and the ushers were Mr. Wm. Durbin and Mr. Douglas Miner. After a wedding trip to Atlantic City, Mr. and Mrs. Wells will live in Chester, Pa.

SIMPSON-WILSON

Miss Rae Wilson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas C. Wilson, of Franklinton, New Jersey, was married on Tuesday evening of this week, to Mr. Harry A. Simpson, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Simpson, of Essex Avenue. The ceremony took place at 8:00 P. M. at the home of the bride.

The bride was dressed in a white dress and veil and carried a shower bouquet of white roses and lilies of the valley.

Mr. Horace Smedley, of Narberth, was best man, other guests from Narberth included Mr. and Mrs. William Durbin, Mr. and Mrs. Winthrop Derby, Mr. and Mrs. Avery S. Demmy, Mr. and Mrs. William C. Simpson, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Simpson, Mrs. Horace Smedley, Miss Louise Smedley, Miss Caroline D. Super, and Mr. Bertine G. Simpson.

Mass Meeting Called For Next Friday to Clean Up School Loan Problems

President of Home and School Association Reports on Last Meeting

Questions recently raised on matters pertaining to the school loan of \$165,000 which will be voted on at the coming elections, have been turned over to the voters of Narberth for decision. Whether or not Narberth will have a new school building rests in their hands. The School Board has signified its wish to follow the dictates of the majority, and the majority will express its desire on November 7, at the polls.

In order that the voters may realize why the school board feels the necessity for voting this loan, and so that they may know in detail every phase of the school question, a mass meeting will be held in the High School Auditorium at eight o'clock on Friday evening, November 3rd.

Probably no more serious question has come before the people of Narberth for many years. It is a question that affects their welfare, the education of their children, and their pocketbooks. The citizens realize that this is their last chance before election of finding out what it is all about, and of expressing their opinions. The program will be an interesting one, including an outside speaker of prominence and a formal discussion of the Narberth School question.

The School Board feels that absence from this meeting may be interpreted as an expression of approval for the loan. It is urged that every man and woman in Narberth set aside Friday evening, and attend the meeting.

President C. Howard McArter, of the School Board, has planned the meeting, and has made all arrangements for a thorough discussion of all phases of the loan. He will be there and will be ready to answer questions put to him on the school situation, in addition to bringing forth the Board's reasons why a loan is the most economical and practical way out of the present critical difficulty.

The School Board has made it clear that this is not a stag mass meeting. Any discussion on school matters is equally if not more important to women than to men. Hence it is expected that mothers and all those interested in the welfare of Narberth children will attend the meeting and take an active part.

Criticism on the alleged lack of civic spirit displayed in Narberth have recently been made in public meeting. Let's prove to our critics that this is not true. Remember the date—eight o'clock, Friday evening, November 3, in the High School Auditorium.

NOTED MUSICIAN ILL

Several musical events planned for Narberth during the winter by John Curtis, Jr., of 406 S. Narberth Avenue, have been postponed because of Mr. Curtis' illness. A little more than a week ago he was stricken with the "coming election is the voters' opportunity to not only cast a ballot but to really vote with a first hand knowledge of for whom and for what they are voting.

A Republican Governor and a Democratic Lieutenant Governor is a very likely possibility in Pennsylvania during the next administration, and if the Republican voters of the entire State year ago he caught a severe cold while touring New England as musical director of an opera company. His engagements were so numerous after his return that he refused to take a needed rest, and last January suffered a complete nervous and physical breakdown and lost his voice. He removed with his parents to Narberth May 1, and gained rapidly in health and strength until late in August when he suffered a relapse, from which his recovery has been slow.

Mr. Curtis began his career as a conductor when he was 17 years old and still a pupil in the Philadelphia Central High School. For a season he was in vaudeville with a Boys' Orchestra, which he later elaborated into the Junior Symphony Orchestra of Philadelphia, with players of both sexes and from this orchestra were graduated some players in the leading symphony orchestras of the country. In 1915 he conducted the Grand Ballet "Die Puppenfee" at the Academy of Music, with sixty members of the Philadelphia Orchestra, and the following year the great ballet "Coppelia" at the Metropolitan Opera House, in addition to numerous orchestra concerts.

He has a wide reputation as a reader and is one of the best accompanists in this section of the country; and his compositions have attracted considerable attention among prominent musicians. His wide experience in operatic work and as a choral conductor, with his other musical gifts are assurance that Narberth is in for a treat when his deferred concerts materialize.

STAR HAS ARRIVED

The Doran Motor Company of Ardmore, Pa., are showing the Star car at their salesroom, 45 East Lancaster Avenue. Join the crowd and look it over. They have also received a big shipment of the 1923 Durant Models.

Has Your Subscription Expired?

Because it was felt that developments of the moment made it possible that any article would be obsolete and confusing, the President of the Narberth Civic Association instructed the Editor to withhold all articles on the School Board question in last week's issue.

Because of the very general interest in the proposed loan, OUR TOWN has been very fortunate in securing the co-operation of Dr. Leroy A. King, Assistant Professor of Educational Administration at the University of Pennsylvania, who is preparing a complete analysis of the entire situation. This article will be published in our next issue.

HOME AND SCHOOL MEETING

By HOWARD A. BANKS

Pres. Home and School Association.

By actual count, seventy-one persons were present at the first fall meeting of the Home and School Association in the school auditorium, on the evening of Thursday, Oct. 19. The meeting resolved itself into an Open Forum to discuss the proposed \$165,000 school loan issue, and the whole school situation. That it could be an Open Forum in the fullest sense of the word was made possible through the presence of a majority of the Narberth School Board, Chairman McArter, Mrs. Barchelor, and Mr. Doherty, the other members being out of town. For this cooperation the Home and School Association is heartily grateful. Mr. McArter cancelled an important engagement in order to come and present the reasons for the bond issue.

Mrs. Leroy Douglass, the Secretary, read the Minutes of the last meeting, and Mr. Jesse Harris, the Treasurer, reported that there was a little more than three dollars in the treasury, upon which the hat was passed, and the generous response of those present increased the assets of the Association by about twenty-five dollars.

The President of the Association stated that the next meeting, to be held in the school auditorium on the third Thursday in November, was to be a reception to Principal Wilson and the teachers of the Narberth school, and also cordially invited the members of the School Board to be present, and urged the parents to come out and meet the teachers. He appealed for a real spirit of cooperation between the parents and the school authorities. Refreshments will be served at this meeting, and it is possible there may be an address by some leading educator, whose name and subject will be announced later.

Two addresses were made during the course of the evening, first by Chairman C. Howard McArter, and afterward by Mr. Arthur W. Burns, and both gentlemen referred to recent developments in the local school situation, which make it necessary to say here that recently a group of Narberth citizens arranged for a meeting with representatives of the Lower Merion School Board to inquire if that Board would absorb the Narberth High School, and upon what terms. That group of citizens included Messrs. Chaffin, Nash, Wohltet, Lambert, Burt, Patten, Forsyth, Keim, Burns, and Professors King and Steckbeck, while the representatives of the Lower Merion Board were Vice President Hamilton, Secretary William J. Byrnes, and Superintendent Downs.

The suggestions of the Lower Merion Board were carried by this group of citizens, who were joined by several others, before the School Board in a meeting on Wednesday, October 18, and the following statements and suggestions were then made to the Narberth Board:

While the group of citizens mentioned were not in the position of opposing the authorization of the proposed bond issue, but were frankly of the fence pending a discussion with the School Board, and while they did not wish to criticize the School Board but recognized that the facilities the Board offer are splendid for the amount of money at the Board's disposal, they nevertheless would like to suggest to the Board that it withdraw the proposal for the authorization of the \$165,000 loan at the November election; that they appoint a competent, disinterested pedagogical authority to make a survey of the Narberth school district to ascertain exactly what the requirements of the Borough would be under the plan of sending Narberth high school students to Lower Merion.

As the Lower Merion School Board is erecting a new school building, they are entirely willing, so they stated, that if the School Board of Narberth so wishes, to enter into a contract with Narberth to provide instruction to Narberth students at a cost not to exceed \$150 a year per student. That cost might be considerably less, as their contract

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EMERGENCY PHONE CALLS
Fire, 350.
Police, 1250.
or Ardmore 20

PATTISONS IN PENNSYLVANIA POLITICS

Twice elected Governor of the State of Pennsylvania, ordinarily a Republican Commonwealth by a large majority—on the Democratic ballot, was Robert E. Pattison, senior.

One of the best, if not the best, Governors the State has ever had is the proud record that those who knew him claim for Governor Pattison.

Many of the friends of Robert E. Pattison, Junior, feel that he could well have started his political career with higher aspirations than that of Lieutenant Governor, and are certain that regardless of his father's standing as a citizen he is on his own merits fitted for any office for which he might be nominated.

There have been times, there are times and there will be times when voters recognize sterling character and place the man before political parties, knew the Democratic candidate for Lieutenant Governor as well as the people of Narberth know him, the possibility would become a realization.

The Narberth Pattison Committee of One Hundred Republicans

Home and School

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would be on the basis of cost to them. They stated that they were entirely willing to make this contract for a period of three years, although their intention would be that it could extend indefinitely beyond this time.

It was further stated that as a business proposition this group of citizens felt that the overhead on a high school accommodating approximately five hundred students would be considerably less per capita than the overhead on a high school equipped for a population of approximately one hundred. It was of course realized that the high school population of Narberth is liable to increase, yet this increase will probably be more than offset due to the fact that the Catholic Church is establishing a parochial school in Narberth. If the Narberth School Board would accede to the suggestions this group of citizens would stand ready to pledge themselves to the support of a reduced bond issue which might be proposed as a result of such a survey as a pedagogical expert would make, such bond issue to be put to the citizens at a special election to be held as soon as possible after the results of the survey are made known.

Mr. McCarter said that the School Board did not believe it would pay to wreck the High School on a three year contract. He thought there was danger of complications arising which at the end of that period would make it impossible for the contract to be renewed, and then Narberth would find itself in the situation of having no High School at all, but with a large high school population to provide for. While it was true that the High School this year was only about one hundred pupils, there is apt to be a large increase in the next few years, as the lower grades in the Grade School are very much larger than the upper grades. The Board has given very freely of its time in doing the very best that it believed was possible for the children of Narberth, and the bond issue would add only four mills more to the local school tax, and the expense of educating our children was a thing not to be looked upon as a mere matter of dollars and cents. And local pride demanded that we maintain our own school.

An idea seemed to be prevalent that the new school building which the bond issue would provide for was mainly for the erection and maintenance of a high school building, but this was not the case. It was intended to improve the general school facilities, and especially to prevent such a situation as now existing, that of having children of the lower grades on half time be-

cause of lack of room. The Board was bound to pay Mr. Shand \$15,000 for purchasing and holding the play ground adjacent to the present school building, as he has done for a number of years past, and he is only asking for the \$15,000, although he could sell the property today for \$22,000.

The Board believed that the Narberth High School was equipped with as fine a set of teachers as could be secured anywhere, and that our school did not suffer in comparison with any other school in this respect. And it believed the school could be built up in the future so that it would afford every equipment that Narberth boys and girls needed for entrance to college, or for equipment for the duties of life. It did not believe that on the average the pupils of our high school were at any disadvantage over those of other schools, but effected several instances where they had distinguished themselves and won honors over pupils from other high schools while they were at college.

Personally he did not believe that manual training would be of value to enough students to justify installing it in the high school. The Board did believe that it was important to have chemistry added to the present equipment of the high school, and this he pointed out will be added as soon as practicable, and if any pupils of the high school at present wish to take chemistry the School Board will pay for their tuition in that study. Mr. McCarter further explained the aims and purposes of the Board, in asking for the bond issue, along the line of explanations he had made at the meeting held the end of last June when these plans, further elucidated by Principal Wilson and the architect, had been unanimously approved by that meeting. He felt that the Board was doing that which would be approved by the majority of the citizens of Narberth, by whom it had been elected, and they were therefore unable to withdraw the bond issue proposal, and substitute something else, even though, Mr. McCarter said, he had learned that there were five days in which this could be done under the law.

Mr. McCarter offered to answer any questions, and about half an hour was spent in this way.

Mr. Arthur W. Burns, a member of the group who met the representatives of the Lower Merion School Board, was then introduced and asked to explain the proposition of the Lower Merion Board. He said he regretted that it was impossible to get the exact figures as to the cost of high school pupils in the Narberth school, but he read from a hand book of the Lower Merion school that the cost per capita there was \$6.25 for grade pupils, and \$13.45 for high school pupils per month. Multiplying this by the nine and a half school months we have the yearly cost of \$59.25 and \$127.77, respectively, as the annual cost. He complimented the Lower Merion Board for making such a hand-book accessible.

The tendency of the times is to have fewer school districts, and all over the country the central schools are absorbing the smaller district units, the motor bus being a large factor in this consolidation, and which would be available for Narberth students, provided it was arranged for them to attend the Lower Merion High School.

Mr. Burns did not think that there would be any trouble about the Lower Merion school authorities making a long time contract if they were asked to absorb the Narberth High School, when they met with the arberth group they did not know at that time whether they could legally make a contract for a longer time than three years, but it was the spirit and sense of these members of the Board that the arrangement would be continuous. Mr. Burns quoted Dr. Leroy A. King, who was present at that meeting, as stating later that he had investigated this phase of the question, and believed that it would be legally possible for a long term contract to be made.

The Narberth group was shown through the Lower Merion High School plant, and also the plans for the new building now in process for construction. It was stated by one of the Lower Merion Board that the Physical Science Laboratory would not have to take a back seat even for that of the University of Pennsylvania. Their Manual Training shop for the boys is equipped for carpentry, plumbing, painting, electrical work, and working in metals. There is a very complete Chemical Laboratory, as well as Domestic Science and Sewing laboratory for girls, a splendid Gymnasium and a large athletic field.

The fact that Narberth Borough is already paying a nineteen mill school tax as against Lower Merion's twelve mill is prima facie evidence, Mr. Burns thought that the larger school unit is decidedly advantageous from an economic standpoint. It seemed to him that if the seven rooms in the Narberth High School Building were made available for grade purposes by the removal to Lower Merion of the high school (there being four grades on half time), we would have for the next year or so at least ample space for all the grades, although some alterations and possible additions would perhaps be necessary. Building costs are at the present moment at the high water mark, and it would seem that the building program, by being held in abeyance over another year, would prove advantageous. Interest and sinking fund requirements on the new bond issue represents an annual cost of about \$13,000.

It seemed to him that to procure as good teachers as Lower Merion has, would mean the payment of salaries as high as Lower Merion pays, which now average in the high school \$2,004 a year. This would then leave Narberth a teachers' cost of \$16,032 a year. In addition to this there is to be taken into account the matter of books, light, heat, and all other necessary incidentals. The present high school enrollment is ninety-seven, and the saving therefore should be at least one half by utilizing the Lower Merion facilities at our door.

Mr. Burns was also asked a number of questions, and it was after ten o'clock when a motion was made to adjourn this very interesting and enlightening Open Forum.

THE TOWER OF BABBLE

By Collum Righter

A FELLOW FEELIN'

It may be quite a clever stunt, this everlastin' bein' hunt. En speakin' jest what's in yer mind. But somehow I can't never find. The nerve to tackle folks that way. I try en temper what I say.

Thur's so much harshness goin' round. The World, that I hev always found. Them chocolate coated words o' mine. Agreed with folks en worked out fine. When blunt ones would hev drawned a tear.

En gabbed thur feelin's like a spear. So what's the use o' spreadin' gloom By Georgetown, when this's so much room.

For bein' pleasant like instead? No hints for me! When I am dead. The folks that's left behind can't say I spoke to none o' them that way.

Is that so? And you temper what you say, do you? Humph! Like fun! I've lived with you a good many years and I haven't noticed you doing it yet. When are you going to start? Temper what you say, fiddle sticks! You snap my head off! You know you do! Or else you never say anything but just sit around like a graven image. Etc., etc., etc. (Types of mental and verbal reactions from dear friend wife, kept up for a whole evening after we were courteous enough to show her the above verses before they went to press.)

Still we go on pursuing the even tenor of our way, being pecked at thusly. She has one striking fine quality though. She never has told us she was perfect. Which in itself is something.

Really though, the only perfect person we know of is a woman. She adorns it, so there is no need of argument. This one wears a blue dress and she feels very well at it. Of course, there are other things that she does equally as well, but we are forced to refrain from mentioning them here, owing to space limitations.

But you may take this from us—the spectacle of one of the gentler, kinder sex, manuevering an automobile to the tune of "Sole Mio" is almost past conception.

Miss Emilie Cose Wohlert is getting on good with his Auto Suggestion. Ever since last Saturday we have found ourselves unconsciously muttering, "Every day, everything keeps getting worse—and worse—and worse." If he persists, the first thing you know people will start to believe it—and then there will be pell to buy.

It is hard enough to write the Column in Borotalk, let alone having to learn the language of Lower Merion.

That delicious L. M. Twp. may be O. K. and all that sort of thing. We have had no personal contact with it other than that gained when we fell off our bicycle in Ardmore and landed on Montgomery Avenue a few years ago. We do know some folks who live within its sacred precincts and confines, however. We have never gathered from them the idea that they considered themselves dwelling in any "Spacious Valley of Happiness in The Kingdom of Amhar.".

They may talk about the Main Line Orchestra until the cows come home, but in our humble opinion it will never achieve its rightful prominence until the doors of Membership are flung wide to admit the Dulcet Jewsharp and the Divine Harmonica. By George! Them's where we skintillate!

There seems to be nothing for us but dire disappointments. We waited anxiously for the report of The Esteemed Treasurer of the Union Twilight Services to see whether or not anyone had found our favorite suspender button which departed our pants on a certain Sabbath evening in September. Hon. Howtoham makes no mention of it—none whatever.

Our friends and others will no doubt be pleased to learn that Miss Dorothy Lillian Swampscott was unable to avail herself of our invitation to dinner last Saturday night. We gained quite a bit of publicity over it however. Three town sportsmen saw fit to inquire where in the name of common sense we got enough money together to buy frying chickens. Their interest was appreciated, even if it wasn't any of their business.

All things considered, the Fair was a great success. It is reported that Hon. Edward A. Muschamp has been talking through an atomizer ever since. It's a awful strain. A terrible strain. On the atomizer.

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Seventy women from Bucks, Delaware, Chester and Montgomery Counties met at Roll Call headquarters, southeast corner of 18th and Locust streets last Friday, (Sept. 22) and pledged themselves to make the Roll Call a success in the districts outside the city.

The meeting was addressed by Howard Wayne Smith, executive secretary of the Chapter, Mrs. John White Geary, and Mrs. George B. Evans, who is sharing the Chairmanship of the Roll Call with Mrs. George W. Childs Drexel.

Mr. Smith announced that unless the Roll Call is a success, the splendid work being done for disabled ex-service men by the Home Service Department must be discontinued after January first. He explained that the work has been financed thus far, by the remnant of war funds in the Chapter.

The suspension of this service will mean the discontinuance of a Department that in three years has cared for 94,836 families at an expenditure of \$1,008,694.67.

The organization of the Counties for the Roll Call is to be left entirely to the discretion of the County Leaders in Red Cross work whose experience in former campaigns has familiarized them with the particular problems that exist in each district.

A feature of the Roll Call campaign is a special sign designating the status of the worker, and which is to be placed in the window of her home.

Women who attended the County Organization meeting came from Bristol, Brookline, Cheltenham, Chester Valley, Coatesville, Conshohocken, Downingtown, Doylestown, Langhorne, Lansdowne, Main Line, Morrisville, Newtown, Norristown, Ogontz, Old York Road, Pott, Parkersburg, Quakertown, Swarthmore, Wayne, Upper Montgomery and Wycombe.

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Rev. Avery S. Demmy, Pastor.

Services, Sunday, October 29th, 1922:
9:30 A. M.—Prayer Meeting.
9:45 A. M.—Sunday School.
11:00 A. M.—Morning Worship. Object talk for children on Jacob's Ladder. Sermon by the pastor.
7:00 P. M.—Young People's Meeting. Subject, "Intoxicants, Drugs and Tobacco." Led by group 1. Mr. Carl Kremer, Captain.
7:45 P. M.—Evening Worship. Sermon by the pastor on one of the foremost questions of life, "What Shall We Have?"
8:00 P. M.—Wednesday—Mid week services of the Church. Subject, "Is Your Life?"
Everybody welcome to these services.

ALL SAINTS EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Wynnewood Avenue and Montgomery Pike

Rev. Gibson Bell, Rector.
Rev. R. B. W. Hutt, Rector's Assistant

Sunday, October 29th:
20th Sunday after Trinity
8:15 A. M.—Holy Communion.
9:45 A. M.—Church School.
10:00 A. M.—Mr. Hutt's Class.
11:00 A. M.—Morning Prayer and Sermon.
"Te Deum".....Stainer in B Flat Anthem—"Blessed are the Departed" from "The Last Judgment"—Spior, with solo quartet and chorus.

One of the best congregations of the fall season was in attendance last Sunday morning, and it is hoped that they were comforted and satisfied by the splendid service. Mr. Hutt's intoning of the prayer before the procession, and again after the recessional, greatly assisted the choir to sing the amen properly. The sound of those amens ringing out from behind closed doors produces a beautiful effect in the Church, and begins and ends the services in an inspiring and reverent manner. There is still room for more adult voices in the choir. Please get in touch with Mr. Spratt at the Parish House on Thursday evenings or at his home, 222 Wayne Avenue, phone 647 R Narberth.

The Boy Scouts meet on Tuesday evenings at 7:30 in the Parish House. Boys desiring to join should present themselves to Mr. Spratt at that time. The attention of all is called to the Parish Dinner on Friday evening at 7 P. M. in the Parish House. This is under the direction of the Men's Club and will be the first general get-together of this season. Mr. Samuel F. Houston of Chestnut Hill will tell us of the accomplishments of the recent General Convention at Portland, Oregon. All Episcopalians should be interested in that. Invitations will be sent to everybody. Set that date aside and let's make this the best party that we have ever had. All Saints is positively a Narberth church, although just over the line in Wynnewood. Narberth people ought to attend the services and meetings in constantly increasing numbers. It is not necessary to go elsewhere in order to enjoy a good service and listen to good music. Make this your Church home. Use the Montgomery School bus which leaves from in front of White's Sweet Shop, 15 minutes before services.

NARBERTH METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Arthur S. Walls, D. D., Pastor.

Sunday, Oct. 29:
9:45 A. M.—Bible School.
11:00 A. M.—Morning Worship. Sermon, "The Reasonableness of Jesus." Anthem: "O Worship the Lord," Watson. By the Chorus.
(Baritone Solo: Mr. Julius Braselmann)
Quartet: "My Deliverer," McClelland.
6:45 P. M.—Epworth League.
7:45 P. M.—Evening Worship. Sermon by the Pastor.
Anthem: "The Day Is Ended," Bartlett. By the Chorus.
(Violin Obligato: Mr. Carl Kremer.)
(Alto Solo: Miss Mary E. MacFalls)
Quartet: "Nearer, Still Nearer," Hall.

THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Rev. John Van Ness, Minister.

Meetings for Oct. 29:
9:45 A. M.—Sunday School. A place and a welcome for all.
11:00 A. M.—Public Worship. Subject of Sermon: "Christianity and Prohibition." Observance of "World's Temperance Sunday."
4:00 P. M.—Junior Endeavor Meeting.
7:00 P. M.—Meeting of the Intermediate and Senior Societies.
7:45 P. M.—Evening Worship. Subject of sermon: "Conformed or Transformed."

Church Notes

At the Prayer meeting next Wednesday evening the subject will be "Walking as Children of the Light." Ephesians 5:8.
A reception will be tendered to the members of the Home Department by the Women's Bible Class next Thursday afternoon in the Church parlors.

This Church is hearing the cry of the "Tragedy of Smyrna," and is deeply moved by the heartbreaking situation of the Near East. An opportunity will be given tomorrow both in Sunday School and the Church services for all to contribute to the Near East Relief Fund. In the light of the enormity of the needs, let us make our gifts as generous as possible.

The Intermediate Christian Endeavor Society will hold a Halloween Social at the Church this Saturday evening.

The "All Days Meeting" of the Women will be held next Wednesday. The Women's Auxiliary meets at 10 A. M. luncheon is served at one, and the missionary society convenes at 2 P. M. The Women of the Auxiliaries are urged to remember their donation for Bala Home and the clothing for the Shut Ins.

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Church Notes

The Ladies Aid are having a Cake Sale on the lawn at 109 Forrest Ave., Saturday, Oct. 28th.

The School News

It will be interesting for everyone to know that we, the pupils of Narberth High School, are going to have a column in this paper. This idea was started by Miss Jenkins and the Freshman B Class.

ATHLETIC NEWS.

Hurray for the girls' hockey team of the Narberth High School. Tuesday the girls elected Elizabeth England manager.

The Narberth girls' hockey team had a game scheduled for November 1st, but they are sorry to say the game was postponed on account of the poor conditions of the field. We all have to thank Miss Church, the hockey coach, for the supervision of the team.

HALLOWE'EN NEWS.

The Sophomore Class of the Narberth High School wish you to know that they are still alive. They held a Halloween Dance in the auditorium of the school on Friday evening, October 27, 1922.

On Tuesday evening, October 24th, at 7:30 P. M., the Eighth Grade of the Narberth High School gave a Halloween party. All of the pupils and some of their teachers were present. They all enjoyed the evening.

FRESHMAN PARTY OCTOBER 26.

A special meeting was called last Friday by the Class President, who is Frederick Egnore, to decide on their party. It was decided that a social committee be appointed by the President, on which he put Virginia Smith, Louise Jones, Mary Yorum, Fern Reger, and Madeline Miesen. The Social Committee has counted on seventy-eight people being there, as all the teachers are invited.

FIFTH GRADE.

Miss Allen, the Fifth Grade teacher, is giving a Halloween Party for the pupils in that class. The party will be held in the class room on Tuesday, October 31, at 2 o'clock. The children will help decorate the room and also donate whatever they can. It is to be a "masked" affair, and if the weather is promising the children will have their pictures taken in their costumes.

GENERAL NEWS.

The Juniors of the Narberth Public School gave a candy sale on October 20 at the football game played by Narberth. The sale was very successful and we all sincerely hope they will give another.

Miss Speakman, the director of music in the Narberth Public Schools, is confined to her home owing to illness.

Wednesday morning Mr. Wilson introduced a new system by having speakers talk about business methods to the High School pupils in assembly. Mr. McCarter was then called on to talk about Real Estate, and gave the pupils many points about the business.

POLICE POWER

Mr. Peck—"Would you mind compelling me to move on, officer? I've been waiting on this corner three hours for my wife."

COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA COUNTY OF MONTGOMERY ELECTION NOTICE

For Increase of Debt of the School District of the Borough of Narberth, Montgomery County, Pennsylvania.
Pursuant to a resolution of the Board of School Directors of the School District of the Borough of Narberth, Montgomery County, Pennsylvania, unanimously adopted at an adjourned regular meeting held the 26th day of September, A. D. 1922, notice is hereby given to all electors of the School District of the Borough of Narberth that in order to obtain the assent of the electors of the School District to an increase in the sum of One Hundred Sixty-five Thousand (\$165,000) Dollars in the bonded indebtedness of said School District.

A PUBLIC ELECTION will be held in said School District at the place, time, and under the same regulations as provided by law for the holding of municipal elections in said School District.
TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 7th, 1922
Between the hours of Seven o'clock A. M. and Seven o'clock P. M., being the day and time fixed by law for holding the General Election at the polling place in the said School District, and being the place of holding the municipal elections for the said District, when and where each duly qualified elector of said School District may vote for or against the proposed increase of indebtedness.
1. The amount of the last preceding assessed valuation of taxable property

in said School District is in the sum of \$3,363,300.00.

2. The total amount of the existing indebtedness of said School District is in the sum of \$69,000.00, of which \$15,000.00 is to be refunded, leaving a then existing indebtedness of \$54,000.00.

3. The amount of the proposed increase in the bonded indebtedness of said School District is in the sum of \$165,000.00.

4. The percentage of the proposed increase in the bonded indebtedness of said School District, computed upon the basis of the last preceding assessed valuation of taxable property therein is 1.20584%.

5. After said proposed increase in the indebtedness of said School District shall have been made, the total amount of the then existing indebtedness of said School District will be in the sum of \$219,000.00 and the percentage of the said total amount of the said then existing indebtedness of said School District, computed upon the basis of the last preceding assessed valuation of taxable property therein, will be 6.51144%.

6. The proposed increase of bonded indebtedness is for the following purposes, namely:

In order to build, equip and furnish a school building, on the lot, in the Borough of Narberth, Pennsylvania, adjoining the present Public School Building on the east, and bounded on the northeast by Montgomery Avenue, and on the south by Sabine Avenue, and to provide for, pay, and refund existing temporary indebtedness in the sum of \$15,000.00.

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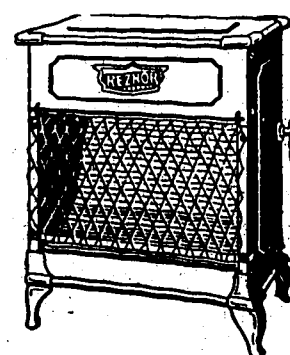
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Last week at the State Federation of Women's Clubs the Narberth Community Library was honored by being called upon at the Literary Breakfast to report its activities, and many compliments were paid upon its management and growth. The fact that the Community Library had grown so rapidly in its year and a half of growth, without any financial aid from the State or Borough, seemed very amazing. With nearly nine hundred books on the shelves and over two hundred of these in circulation each week, it has been found necessary to increase the number of workers in and for the library, until now there are nineteen. Among these helpers, two are daughters of Senior members of the Community Club, Miss Margaret Burrell, of the Junior Section, and Miss Kathryn Augst, a sub-junior.

The necessity of a town library has been proved by the use made of the books provided, and as soon as the attendance becomes too heavy for Friday afternoon and evening, arrangements will be made to keep open on a second day.

Communications

To the Editor of Our Town:

The Narberth School situation is of vital interest to every family in Narberth, not merely from the financial point of view, but from the educational point of view. We can eventually make up wasted money, but seldom can we make up wasted educational opportunities, and we can never bring back the wasted time.

We all pay taxes to educate our high school and grammar school children. Both important, but the High School, vitally so, can our High School graduates obtain as good an education as Lower Merion? It is a fact that our own school has been on the down grade, and this is not casting any reflections on the present faculty whatever. They can only work with what is given to them. Our people are gradually and have been for some years, sending their children of High School age elsewhere. People of Narberth stop and think a minute. Would they do this, meaning extra expense, if they could get the value here?

This loan will not do anything whatever for our High School. A mere building is no guarantee of proper educational facilities. If we could shift our High School pupils to Lower Merion we could use the space they now occupy and take care of the lower grades now going on half time. It would effect a saving from every viewpoint. The School Board have not played fair. They have misrepresented the situation either directly or by implication. For example, at a meeting held during the summer it was admitted that a survey had been made in 1919. Those present were asked to approve that night—three years later—a school building plan submitted, unless that very evening a better plan could be suggested. Imagine, we were asked in an hour to submit a better plan than the School Board has been working on for three years.

Later an article in Our Town stated the survey was made in 1920, and again at the school on October 19th, the President of the School Board stated the survey had been made a year ago, or 1921. Why the misrepresentation, to be polite about it? Another thing, that very plan submitted as the last word that must be approved, I have learned is not the actual plan in effect today, barely two months later. Why has the School Board kept this secret?

Another matter. A recent article in Our Town stated the School Board had approached Lower Merion authorities and were turned down. A number of people on an independent unbiased investigation learned later that our School Board had not approached Lower Merion whatsoever. Why this misrepresentation so easily ascertained? What chance have our taxpayers in larger problems against similar misrepresentations?

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withdraw the loan appeal without a vital loss of time, provided a special election be held later, at small cost. They refuse to do this. Must we stand the loss of \$165,000, or the loss of a few dollars for a special election? Because of the School Board's attitude our only hope is to defeat the loan. This matter is vital to each and all of us. We must pay and should pay for educating our children, and we must demand that we get what we pay for, and under the present School Board that apparently is impossible.

EDWIN T. WOLF.

WHAT IS THE MATTER WITH NARBERTH?

To the Editor of Our Town:

In the October 21st issue of Our Town, I read with interest the report of the Treasurer of the Union Twilight Services in which he stated that the average attendance for the season was 145. The question immediately came to my mind, where were the other 3,652? Is it not an astonishing fact that not more than 50% of the people of Narberth take any active interest in their churches?

We pride ourselves, and this is praiseworthy, in our delightful community, our easy access to all the advantages of one of America's greatest cities, our civic pride, our comfortable homes, etc., but what about our church life? Is this laxity the fault of the churches? By churches I mean pastors and people. I do not think so. There is not a truer set of men in business today than the ministers who represent the different churches in our community. The people are without reproach and are as good as any. There are many people living in sight of some of our churches who were raised in Christian homes and who at some time have been a sense of their responsibility and privilege. They are identified with no church. Perhaps their church letters are laid away in the bottoms of their

trunks, where they were when they came to town. Occasionally they send their children to Sunday School if they have not been up too late the night before. There are all good people, they do no harm, but have simply grown careless and indifferent to the greatest things in life.

What will the answer be at the end of time? Can we say, "I was too tired," or "too busy," or "had not the opportunity"? No. There are thousands of people today crying for the opportunities which are here passed by so lightly, waiting for a convenient season.

People of Narberth, awake! We claim 100% efficiency in every other walk of life, why not in our church life? They (the churches) should be the pride of our community. Then at the end of time we shall enter into our inheritance with rejoicing, bringing our sheaves with us, instead of being rebuked for not using the talents that had been given us.

This is not a brief for any particular church or denomination. It is a serious condition that I believe exists, and the question is, what are we going to do about it?

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WOMEN'S COMMUNITY CLUB

Opportunities of the Woman Citizen will be the subject of the talk by Miss Jessie Evans at the Community Club meeting on Tuesday, October 21 at the Club room. Coming at this meeting does just before the November Election, members will find Miss Evans' talk both interesting and timely. Mrs. Ross will give a report of the State Federation meeting at Reading. Those desiring membership blanks will phone Mrs. Ross, 1718 R.

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